



Course Descriptor

Child Protection: Involving Children in Decision Making

Audience:

This ½ day workshop is suitable for:

- those working or volunteering with children and young people in sport
- local authority/leisure trust staff such as sports development officers, club development officers, Active School Co-ordinators who support local sports clubs.

Course Pre-requisites:

Participants attending this workshop should have first attended a basic awareness course in child protection such as 'Safeguarding and Protecting Children'.

The Workshop:

This workshop has been developed to compliment the Safeguarding in Sport resource: "Play your Part - Participation Toolkit". This toolkit encourages organisations to involve children and young people in making decisions which affect them.

Workshop Aim:

The overall aim of this workshop is to encourage and support the involvement of children and young people in the running of their organisation or club.

Learning Outcomes:

By the end of the course participants will:

- have explored some of the benefits of involving children and young people
- have considered various ways children and young people can be involved
- be aware of some tools which can get children and young people involved
- have identified opportunities for involvement within their organisation or club